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SECRET BEIJING 1158S

E.O. 12356: DECL:OADR

TAGS: CVP KIMMITT, ROBERT H.1, PREL, CH
SUBJECT: UNDER SECRETARY KIMMITT'S TRIP TO ASIA

REF: STATE 127398

1. SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. AMBASSADOR LILLEY AND MISSION ARE DELIGHTED TO WELCOME
UNDER SECRETARY KIMMITT FOR DISCUSSIONS IN BEIJING
MAY 5-7. POLITICAL/MILITARY OFFICER JIM HORIARTY
(OFFICE: 532-3831 X-566; HCNE: 532-4951) WILL BE CONTROL
OFFICER. POLITICAL MINISTER-COUNSELOR DON KEYSER
(OFFICE: 532-3831 X-566; HCNE: 532-3927) MAY ALSO BE
CONTACTED ON ANY QUESTION PERTAINING TO VISIT.

3. THERE FOLLOWS A NOTITIONAL SCHEDULE FOR UNDER
SECRETARY KIMMITT'S VISIT WHICH REFLECTS OUR OWN
THINKING AS WELL AS PRELIMINARY REACTIONS AND PROPOSALS
BY THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

4. NOTITIONAL SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY, MAY 5

1810 DEPART HONG KONG VIA CACR 309 (PER REFTEL; DEPT
OR HONG KONG PLEASE CONFIRM BOOKING)

1300 ARRIVE BEIJING. U/S KIMMITT AND SPECASST
KARTMAN WILL BE MET BY AMBASSADOR LILLEY.

1430 ARRIVE DIAOYUTAI STATE GUEST HOUSE.

AFTERNOON FREE FOR SIGHTSEEING OR OTHER
ACTIVITIES AS DESIRED. SIGHTSEEING POSSIBILITIES
IN BEIJING MIGHT INCLUDE:
-- FORBIDDEN CITY (GU-GONG)
-- TEMPLE OF HEAVEN PARK
-- BEI HAI (NORTH LAKE) PARK
-- SUMMER PALACE

NOTES ON SIGHTSEEING: IF THE CHINESE SIDE HOSTS
A WELCOME DINNER ON SUNDAY EVENING, THERE WILL
PROBABLY BE A MAXIMUM OF 3 HOURS AVAILABLE FOR
SIGHTSEEING. THAT WOULD MEAN A TRIP TO THE
SUMMER PALACE ALONE -- WHICH IS PACKED WITH
PEOPLE ON A TYPICAL SUNDAY AFTERNOON -- OR TO
A COMBINATION OF THE OTHER, IN-TOUR POSSIBILITIES.
PLEASE ADVISE ANY TENTATIVE PREFERENCES.)

1830 (TENT.) WELCOME BANQUET HOSTED BY CHINESE SIDE AT
DIAOYUTAI.

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(NOTES: MFA HAS TOLD US THAT WE MIGHT TENTATIVELY
EXPECT THAT THE CHINESE SIDE -- VICE FOREIGN
MINISTER LIU HUAQIU PROBABLY -- WOULD WISH TO
HOST ON SUNDAY EVENING. IF THE CHINESE DO EXTEND
AN INVITATION FOR SUNDAY EVENING, MR KIMMITT MAY
WISH TO CONSIDER WHETHER HE WOULD PREFER TO
/ HAVE AN AMBASSADOR/COUNTRY TEAM BRIEFING IN
ADVANCE OF THE DINNER OR FOLLOWING IT. THE
DIAOYUTAI COMPOUND IS NOT SECURE, AND SUCH
SESSION SHOULD BE HELD IN A SECURE ENVIRONMENT
WITHIN THE EMBASSY -- SOME 30-45 MINUTES BY CAR
FROM DIAOYUTAI. PLEASE ADVISE REGARDING
PREFERRED TIME FOR COUNTRY TEAM BRIEFING.)

MONDAY, MAY 6

0900- DISCUSSIONS AT DIAOYUTAI WITH VICE FOREIGN
1200 MINISTER LIU HUAQIU. AGENDA TO ENCOMPASS ENTIRE
SPECTRUM OF KEY BILATERAL ISSUES.

PARTICIPANTS: U/S KIMMITT, SPEC ASST KARTMAN;
AMBASSADOR LILLEY, DCM PASCOE, POLMICROONS KEYSER,
POLMILOFF (AND CONTROL OFFICER) HORIARTY,
INTERPRETER CHANG. CHINESE PARTICIPANTS TO BE
INDICATED LATER.

1230- 1400 WORKING LUNCH HOSTED BY VICE FOREIGN MINISTER LIU.
CONTINUATION OF DISCUSSIONS FROM MORNING SESSION.

PARTICIPANTS: SAME AS ABOVE.

P.M. WE HAVE SUGGESTED TENTATIVELY, AND THE CHINESE
HAVE TAKEN ON BOARD, PROPOSALS FOR MEETINGS WITH:
FOREIGN MINISTER QIAO QICHEN
AGENDA: KEY BILATERAL QUESTIONS
PARTICIPANTS: PER ABOVE

MINISTER OF FOREIGN ECONOMIC RELATIONS AND TRADE

LI LANQING
AGENDA: TRADE, ECONOMIC, IPR QUESTIONS
PARTICIPANTS: AMBASSADOR, DCM, ECON MINCOUNS
SCHLAIKER, ECOHOFF, INTERPRETER CHANG

MILITARY COMMISSION SECRETARY-GENERAL ADMIRAL
LIU HUAQING
AGENDA: ARMS PROLIFERATION MATTERS; (IF DESIRED,
U.S. SANCTIONS, AND OUTLOOK)
PARTICIPANTS: AMBASSADOR, DCM, POL MINCOUNS,
POLMILOFF, INTERPRETER CHANG

(NOTES: THE CHINESE ARE AWARE THAT THE FOREGOING
REFLECT ONLY PRELIMINARY THOUGHTS, AND ARE
SUBJECT TO CONCURRENCE AND APPROVAL BY UNDER
SECRETARY KIMMITT. PLEASE ADVISE WISHES AND
REACTIONS.)

DINNER TWO POSSIBILITIES:

(1) THE CHINESE MAY VOLUNTEER TO HOST ANOTHER
FUNCTION OR, ALTERNATIVELY, TO HOST MONDAY
EVENING RATHER THAN SUNDAY EVENING

(2) IF CHINESE ARE NOT HOSTING, AMBASSADOR
PROPOSES TO HOST SMALL DINNER TO PERMIT
U/S KIMMITT AN OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR VIEW AND
INSIGHTS OF EXPERIENCED SENIOR DIPLOMATS
(OR, ALTERNATIVELY, SHOULD U/S KIMMITT PREFER,
AN OFF-THE-RECORD DINNER WITH GUESTS FROM

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AMONG THE BEST RESIDENT AMERICAN JOURNALISTS!

PLEASE ADVISE REGARDING PREFERENCES PER ABOVE.

TUESDAY, MAY 7

0600 DEPART DIAOYUTAI FOR AIRPORT

0950 DEPART BEIJING VIA CAAC 925 (PER RCFTEL. PLEASE
ADVISE WHETHER EMBASSY SHOULD BOOK AND PURCHASE
TICKET.)

5. LOGISTICAL SUPPORT: EMBASSY STANDS READY TO SUPPORT
FULLY SECRETARY KIRKITT'S VISIT PER INSTRUCTIONS
CONTAINED RCFTEL. IN THIS CONNECTION, WE OBSERVE AGAIN
THAT THE STATE GUEST HOUSE (DIAOYUTAI) IS OWNED AND
OPERATED BY THE CHINESE. SECURE CONVERSATIONS MAY NOT
BE HELD THERE, NOR IS THERE ANY WAY TO SAFEGUARD SECURE
DOCUMENTS NOT IN THE POSSESSION OF A CLEARED AMERICAN.

6. PRESS MATTERS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE HAVING TEXT WHEN
AVAILABLE OF THE PLANNED ANNOUNCEMENT OF U/S KIRKITT'S

TRIP AS WELL AS GUIDANCE FOR RESPONDING TO PRESS QUERY.
U/S KIRKITT'S VISIT WILL GENERATE GREAT INTEREST AMONG
RESIDENT AMERICAN JOURNALISTS IN BEIJING. WE ANTICIPATE
REQUESTS BY/JOURNALISTS FOR INTERVIEWS AND/OR A
PRE-DEPARTURE PRESS BACKGROUNDER. PLEASE ADVISE HOW WE
SHOULD HANDLE SUCH QUERIES.

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